

CONNECTICUT - DISTRICT 6**Information based on Congressional Districts of the 106th U.S. Congress, 1997**

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	SMALLEST	LARGEST	MEDIAN OF COUNTIES
Farms			
Number	255	689	423
Acreage	11,935	90,538	36,235
Average size (acres)	47	131	84
Median size (acres)	18	53	32
Estimated market value average per farm			
Land/buildings (dollars)	471,031	699,749	642,583
Machinery/equip (dollars)	30,661	46,640	39,202
Cropland (acres)			
Total	6,314	44,773	16,607
Harvested	4,380	34,474	13,002
Irrigated	265	3,952	308
Agricultural products sold - market value			
(\$1,000)	16,837	112,189	27,461
(dollars avg. per farm)	39,856	178,929	76,811
Agricultural sales - Net cash return per farm			
(dollars average)	1,449	42,198	22,014
Livestock inventory (number)			
Cattle and calves	843	14,849	4,613
Beef cows	211	1,729	723
Milk cows	179	5,839	1,577
Hogs and pigs	51	760	577
Sheep and lambs	228	1,586	352
Layers 13 wks or/older	1,231	1,231	1,231
Broilers and chicken (sold)	0	368	247
Harvested commodities (acres)			
Corn, grain or seed	21	2,378	826
Corn, silage or green chop	134	6,463	2,324
Sorghum, grain or seed	N	N	0
Wheat	N	N	0
Barley	N	N	0
Oats	N	N	0
Rice	N	N	0

Sunflower seed	N	N	0
Cotton	N	N	0
Tobacco	N	N	0
Soybeans	N	N	0
Dry edible beans, excl limas	N	N	0
Potatoes, excl sweetpotatoes	2	108	20
Sugar beets for sugar	N	N	0
Sugarcane for sugar	N	N	0
Peanuts for nuts	N	N	0
Hay-alfalfa	2,641	25,767	7,118

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Vegetables			
Number of farms	50	168	88
Acreage	418	4,623	917
Orchards			
Number of farms	23	58	29
Acreage	242	981	402

Abbreviations/footnotes:

N represents zero.

0 represents an insignificant amount.

D-Withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual farms.

Source: USDA, NASS, 1997 Census of Agriculture